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ZAREPTA CHEMICAL KS

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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STOLTHAVEN HOUSTON, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

RACHEL B, its engines, tackle apparel, etc., *in rem*,
and HILTVEIT ASSOCIATES, INC. and
ZAREPTA CHEMICAL KS, *in personam*,

Defendant.
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08 Civ. 4327 (RPP)

NOTICE OF FOREIGN LAW
PURSUANT
TO RULE 44.1 OF
FED. R. CIV. P.

Pursuant to Rule 44.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Defendant, Zarepta Chemical KS ("Zarepta"), by its attorneys Holland & Knight LLP, hereby give notice of its intention to raise a question of foreign law, viz., that the bareboat charter party entered into between Zarepta and Norfolk LP believed to have a place of business at 150 Motor Parkway, Hauppauge, NY 11788 through Norfolk's apparent General Partner Hiltveit Associates, Inc. ("Hiltveit"), for the charter of the vessel "MV Rachel B" (the "Vessel") is governed by Norewegian law.

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